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22 May 1959

MEMORANDUM FOR : Deputy Director (Plans)

SUBJECT : Location for

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1. A study was made by Headquarters, USAF, with regard to the most desirable location for our The two major contenders were Senior Air Force personnel in the Operations and Plans Divisions reviewed the study and the result was announced in a letter to Gen. Cabell which recommended

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2. The staff of DPD met with Headquarters, USAF, personnel to review the pro's and con's of this selection, bearing in mind that a location near the CIA had certain important advantages. As a result of this meeting, the DPD staff recommended that be selected. I concur with the staff recommendation for the reasons listed in the attached memorandum and also because of the following factors:

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a. The major command opposition (AMC) would make the relocation and day-to-day operations very difficult. On the other hand, needs additional work and tenants This would eliminate dislocation of any present units and the resulting rearrangement difficulties placed upon the Air Force, since adequate space is available

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b. Although Headquarters, USAF, is willing for a survey to be made of the full facts with regard to availability of space and facilities are known in Headquarters USAF and I feel that the survey team would be most unwelcome to AMC and to the Kelly depot.

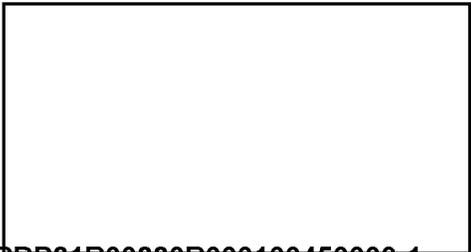
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c. My belief is that we can do the training job more effectively from and that the time loss in getting to the depot for pick up of materiel will not be a significant operational factor.

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3. It is recommended that:



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a. [redacted] be approved by CIA as an adequate location, and that a joint survey be initiated as soon as practicable.

b. General Cabell's approval be sought at the earliest opportunity since it is understood that he will be away for a month beginning 27 May.

[redacted]

Colonel, USAF
Acting Chief, DPD-DD/P

Recommendations in para. 3
APPROVED.

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DEPUTY DIRECTOR (PLANS)

Att:

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approved.

*DDCI
25 May 1959*

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